



# Egg Products

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## Shell Eggs Broken Up 4 Percent from Last Year

**June 2015** contained 22 weekdays (including 0 holidays) and 4 Saturdays.

**June 2016** contained 22 weekdays (including 0 holidays) and 4 Saturdays.

Shell eggs broken totaled 200 million dozen during June 2016, up 4 percent from June a year ago, and 1 percent above the 197 million broken during the previous month.

During calendar year 2016, shell eggs broken totaled 1,108 million dozen, up 1 percent from 2015. Cumulative total edible product from eggs broken in 2016 was 1.42 billion pounds, up 1 percent from 2015.

Data presented in this report were compiled from Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) inspection reports. The best available data at the time of publication were used.

## Federally Inspected Shell Eggs Broken – United States: June 2016 with Comparisons

Inspected item	June 2015	May 2016	June 2016	Percent of	
				June 2015	May 2016
	(1,000 dozen)	(1,000 dozen)	(1,000 dozen)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Shell eggs broken</b> .....	192,251	197,289	200,231	104	101
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Edible product from shell eggs broken</b>					
Whole .....	157,125	155,745	154,111	98	99
White .....	58,270	65,858	67,429	116	102
Yolk .....	27,916	32,086	33,827	121	105
Total .....	243,311	253,689	255,367	105	101
<b>Inedible product from shell eggs broken</b> .....	18,549	20,744	21,397	115	103

## Federally Inspected Shell Eggs Broken, Cumulative – United States: January-June 2015 and 2016

Inspected item	Cumulative		2016 as percent of 2015
	January-June 2015	January-June 2016	
	(1,000 dozen)	(1,000 dozen)	(percent)
<b>Shell eggs broken</b> .....	1,092,352	1,108,101	101
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)
<b>Edible product from shell eggs broken</b>			
Whole .....	868,043	893,567	103
White .....	363,943	352,744	97
Yolk .....	178,657	176,677	99
Total .....	1,410,643	1,422,988	101
<b>Inedible product from shell eggs broken</b> .....	111,995	120,330	107

Statistical Methodology

**Data Sources:** Data for the *Egg Products* report are obtained from Egg Products Volume Reports (FSIS Form 5200-11) completed by inspectors of FSIS, USDA. FSIS is responsible for administering a mandatory inspection program for egg products under the authority of the Egg Products Inspection Act of 1970. The act and its associated regulations require that all commercial egg breaking and processing plants operate under continuous USDA supervision. Reports are currently received from approximately 60 plants in the United States. Plant management provides monthly volume data to the resident USDA inspector at the applicable plant.

**Revision Policy:** Revisions are generally the result of late reports received by FSIS from plants. Revisions for the previous month and year-to-date totals are published in each monthly release.

**Procedures and Reliability:** FSIS reviews plant data for accuracy and completeness and provides NASS a data file. NASS reviews the data for unusual values. The egg products estimates are based on a census of all commercial egg breaking and processing plants; therefore, there are no statistical estimation and sampling errors.

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